

Federal Aviation Administration

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Dear Non-Federal NAVAID Owners,

On February 1, 2005, the FAA announced the results of the public-private competition for services performed by the FAA's AFSS in the continental United States, Puerto Rico, and Hawaii. The award of that contract was made to Lockheed Martin which will take over delivery of these services beginning October 4, 2005.

The mission of the AFSS is to provide customer oriented, value-added services through the collection, processing and delivery of aeronautical and meteorological related information to promote safe and expeditious flight.

During the early stages of the contract process, the FAA determined that certain activities would be realigned from flight services to other appropriate organizations.

One of those activities is coordination of NAS outages. Beginning October 4, 2005 at 1200 a.m. local time, Non-Federal NAVAID owners will be required to coordinate outages, both scheduled and unscheduled, through the appropriate Operations Control Center (OCC). However, if the flight service station currently monitors your NAVAID, they will continue to coordinate unscheduled outages as they do today.

Enclosed is an informational reference sheet showing the three Operations Control Centers in the United States, their areas of responsibility and contact telephone numbers.

If you have any questions, you may contact Paul Sheridan at 202-267-9342.

Sincerely,

Paul Sheridan

Director Flight Services Safety and Operations Support

Enclosure

FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION OPERATIONS CONTROL CENTERS (OCC)



NATIONWIDE TOLL-FREE NUMBER FOR REPORTING OUTAGES: 1-866-432-2622

Note: The above telephone number detects your location and routes your call to the appropriate Operations Control Center (OCC). If you are reporting an outage outside the area you are calling from, you must use one of the discrete telephone numbers listed below.

AOCC – ATLANTIC OCC – HAMPTON, GA DISCRETE OUTAGE REPORTING TELEPHONE: 770-210-7800

STATES OF RESPONSIBILITY: Alabama, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Maine, Massachusetts, Maryland, Mississippi, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Puerto Rico, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia

MOCC – MID-STATES OCC, OLATHE, KS DISCRETE OUTAGE REPORTING TELEPHONE: 1-800-322-8879

STATES OF RESPONSIBILITY: Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas, Wisconsin

POCC – PACIFIC OCC, SAN DIEGO, CA DISCRETE OUTAGE REPORTING TELEPHONE: 1-800-269-6665

STATES OF RESPONSIBILITY: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming